B.B.C. BUYS MOVIE ON WARREN PANEL

Pays $40,000 for Lane Film —Will Show It Jan. 29

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A two-hour film challenging the work and findings of the Warren Commission on President Kennedy's assassination has been purchased by the British Broadcasting Corporation for a television showing, its co-producer said yesterday.

The co-producer, Emile de Antonio, said here that B.B.C. had paid $40,000 for the film. He said it was "the most money that has ever been paid for a film for a single transmission by anybody in the United Kingdom."

Mr. de Antonio said the British telecast would be on Jan. 29, and London movie showings would probably begin a few days earlier under separate negotiations.

The film, "Rush to Judgment," has the same title as the best-selling book by Mark Lane, the New York lawyer who is its other co-producer. Mr. de Antonio said it had cost $68,000 to produce. Half of the money, he said, came from Oscar Lewenstein, producer, John Osborne, playwright, and Tony Richardson, director, and the rest from a number of other backers.

Private Showing Here

United States distribution is still being negotiated. A private screening took place yesterday at the Museum of Modern Art. The film offers interviews of 18 persons by Mr. Lane, as well as television tapes and diagrams.

In it, Mr. Lane describes its aim as "a brief for the defense" as against the findings by the commission headed by Chief Justice Earl Warren that Lee Harvey Oswald alone killed President Kennedy and wounded Gov. John B. Connally Jr. of Texas.

In the interviews, seven eyewitnesses said they believed shots came from a grassy knoll ahad and to the right of the President's limousine.

Three said the Warren report had persuaded them that the shots must have come from the Texas School Book Depository to the rear, where the commission held Oswald was firing.

One of these, S. M. Holland, a railroad signal supervisor, guided Mr. Lane to a point behind a picket fence where he and others believed they had seen a "puff of smoke." They crossed a steam line, which commission lawyers contend may have given off some vapor.

Also interviewed was Mrs. Acquilla Clemons, who said she had "heard shots" when Patrolman Tippit was killed, and ran into the street. She said she saw a "chunky" and "not very big" man reloading a gun and gesturing to a tall, thin man across the street before both went off in different directions.

Mr. Lane said she and some of the Kennedy assassination witnesses had never been called to testify. He said one of four bullets found after the Tippit murder differed from the others, so "the possibility two men were involved in the murder deserved consideration."

Oswald's Mother in Debt

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 30 (AP)—Mrs. Marguerite Oswald, mother of Lee Harvey Oswald, said today she went $2,500 in debt last year while trying to clear her son's name.

She said she had had to sell some of Oswald's persoanl effects "just to eat," but stil "wnt into the hole $2,500 last year." She was interviewed by newsmen on radio station WOAI.